

Sarah Dolman

Sarah is the Science Officer at WDCS, the Whale and Dolphin Conservation Society. After beginning work at WDCS as a volunteer in 1995, she obtained her Honours in Electrical and Communications Engineering from the University of Bath, UK. She joined the Society's staff full-time within the Science Department in the UK and is now based in Canberra, Australia.

She has taken part in fieldwork involving visual and passive acoustic studies on small cetaceans in Wales (UK), humpback whales and blue whales in Australian waters and orca populations around Johnstone Strait, British Columbia, Canada. She is looking forward to working on board a marine voyage to the Antarctic during 2004.

Her role at WDCS includes contributing on many different topics, including strandings, domestic legislation and the coordination of the Southern Ocean campaign. Sarah has co-authored a number of reports submitted to the International Whaling Commission on environmental threats to cetaceans and the recent WDCS publication *Oceans of Noise*. Her work is now primarily focused on marine noise pollution issues internationally.